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A Song of Thanksgiving

I'm thankful that the years are long—
However long they be;
They still are laborers glad and strong
That ever work for me.
This rose I cut with careless shears
And wear and cast away—
The cosmos wrought a million years
To make it mine a day.
This lily by the pasture bars
Beneath the walnut tree,
Long ere the fire-mist formed in stars,
Was on its way to me.

The laws of property are lax—
My neighbor's farm is fine;
I'm thankful, though he pays the tax,
The best of it is mine.
No sheriff's clutch can lodge my grip
On field I have not sown,
Or shake my sense of ownership
In things I do not own.
I'm thankful for my neighbor's wood,
His orchard, lake and sea;
For while my eyes continue good,
I own all I can see.

I'm thankful for this mighty age,
These days beyond compare,
When hope is such a heritage
And life a large affair.
We thank the gods for low and high,
Right, wrong (as well we may),
For all the wrong of days gone by
Works goodness for today.
Here on Time's table-land we pause
To thank on bended knee,
To thank the gods for all that was,
And is, and is to be.

I'm thankful for this mighty age,
And winsome beauty of the Near,
The greatness of the Commonplace,
The glory of the Here.
I'm thankful for man's high empire;
His stalwart sturdiness of soul,
The long look of his skyward eyes
That sights a far-off goal.
And so I feel to thank and bless
Both things unknown and understood
And thank the stubborn thankfulness
That maketh all things good.

—Selected.

Thanksgiving Proclamation

By the President of the United States of America—a proclamation:
I, Franklin D. Roosevelt, President of the United States of America, do set aside and appoint Thursday, the thirtieth day of November, 1933, to be a day of thanksgiving for all our people.

May we on that day in our churches and in our homes give humble thanks for the blessings bestowed upon us during the year past by Almighty God. May we recall the courage of those who settled a wilderness, the vision of those who founded the nation, the steadfastness of those who in every succeeding generation have fought to keep pure the ideal of equality of opportunity and hold clear the goal of mutual help in time of prosperity as in time of adversity.

May we ask guidance in more surely learning the ancient truth that greed and selfishness striving for undue riches can never bring lasting happiness or good to the individual or to his neighbors.

May we be grateful for the passing of dark days; for the new spirit of dependence one on another; for the closer unity of all parts of our wide land; for the greater friendship between employers and those who toil; for a clearer knowledge by all nations that we seek no conquests and ask only honorable engagements by all peoples to respect the lands and rights of their neighbors; for the brighter day to which we can win through, by seeking the help of God in a more unselfish striving for the common bettering of mankind.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

OHIO

News items for this column can be sent to Miss B. Edgar, 56 Latta Ave., Columbus, O.

The following is taken from the *Ohio Chronicle* and was written by the associate editor, Mr. Frederick Moore:

Three great deaf men, whose names have been prominent among the deaf for almost half a century, have passed from us in recent weeks, and it will be a long time before we shall come to realize that they no longer work and serve us, for though their life stories place their years close to the three score and ten mark, so vigorous were they to the last that they seemed to be in their prime. Edwin Allan Hodgson, Olof Hanson and J. Schuyler Long were unusual types of deaf men. Able, efficient, genial, industrious and gentlemanly, they made themselves men hard to be dispensed with in every position they held. Friends once formed—and making friends was an outstanding feature in the case of each—were friends forever. Young in his "Night Thoughts," observes that Death loves a shining mark. It does seem so in the case of these three men.

It leads me to suggest that more of Gallaudet's graduates enter the profession and prepare to take the places of the veterans who are gradually dropping from the work or passing on to their rewards. I fear too many hesitate because of salaries, but that should not be—the coming generation of deaf will need good strong leaders to fight for them and their rights. True, not many schools are now taking on deaf teachers, but I believe, in time, all schools will feel the need of more deaf teachers. The Ohio school is very fortunate in having so many deaf in the profession.

A visit to the school today, November 22d, found everything running finely. From conversations with teachers, it seemed that more and more attention is being given to improve the pupils' English and enlarge their vocabularies. All seemed eager to help the pupils in the work. It did me good to be so gladly welcomed by my old friends and co-workers there and to see the beaming faces of my former pupils. It was Mr. LaFountain's duty to give the chapel talk and he surely made a stirring and impressive address on the community fund here. I think the promoters of the fund would do well to get Mr. LaFountain as one of their workers.

Just whisper this bit of news please. Uncle Abe Greener has been seen vigorously at work cleaning out his cellar lately and everyone is saying "Why?" Well, it is just his annual cleaning up and for nothing else.

Mrs. Earl Mather joined Mr. Mather in Richmond, Ind., November 17th, and the next day they went to Indianapolis to attend a meeting of the Board of Managers of the Indiana Home. Mr. Mather is a member of the Board. Mrs. Mather was the guest of her friend, Miss E. Moss, of the Indiana school.

Miss Esther Thomas, of dancing fame; is now in Indianapolis, and the deaf there who fail to witness her work will miss a great treat. She is showing the hearing people what a deaf lady can do, and we all appreciate that.

The Ohio school's football team have played seven games and lost only two. No wonder Mr. Charles Miller, the coach, is proud of his boys. When a game was played November 13th, it was bitterly cold, and Mr. Miller saw to it that hot cocoa was served during the intermission. That shows how much he loves the boys and they appreciate him, too. Five basketball games have been booked for December. On December 16th, the game is to be at Gambier, and we hope Mr. B. Golden will see to it that a good crowd of rooters is there.

The Clonion Society at the school gave a picture show last week for the benefit of the Home and over thirty dollars were taken in that evening.

The N. R. A. Social of November 4th, sponsored by the Columbia Ladies' Aid Society cleared a little over one hundred dollars—a fine success considering the times.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ohlemacher found themselves last Sunday, November 19th, over in Bowling Green viewing the greenhouses operated by Mr. Klotz. While there they met Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whitacre, of Cynnet; Mr. and Mrs. Philip Reiss, of Tiffin; and Mr. G. Martin, of Bowling Green. All had a nice visit with Mr. and Mrs. Klotz and enjoyed seeing his green-

Mrs. Everett Kennedy was hostess to the Stitch and Chatter Club at her home November 9th. At dinner all the members were greatly pleased to be served venison by their charming hostess. The venison was the result of a hunting trip up in Minnesota by her energetic hubby last summer and the meat was canned. I heard that it tasted just as good as if the deer had been shot the day before. The next hostess will have to spring a new dinner food to keep up with Mrs. Kennedy.

Mr. Florian Quinn, of Cleveland, and a former student at the Mt. Airy school, visited Mr. William Eichler, an employee at the school. Mr. Quinn married Mr. Eichler's cousin (Anna Junior), a former student of the Ohio school. Their home is in Cleveland, where Mr. Quinn is employed in a silk factory.

Mr. Charles Miller, with Messrs. Flood and Moore, and Miss Buster, motored to Newark to visit Fred and Izorra Sutton. On the way back a stop was made in Granville to see Miss Lucile Jackson, of course.

A Thanksgiving play under the supervision of Mr. Zorn, Mrs. Patterson and Miss Dissinger, is on the way now. Something good is promised.

The two night watchmen at the school recently appeared in new uniforms of drab with bronze buttons and shields. They looked so grand that someone called them "generals."

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pershing, of Springfield, took Mr. and Mrs. Frank Redington, of the same city, to the Ohio Home to visit Mr. Redington's brother, Elbert, and sister, Mrs. Hines, who are residents at the Home. Both are well along in years, but appear to be in good health.

"Mr. Pershing reports labor conditions in Springfield as little improved. The Springfield division of the International Harvester Company seems to be the only business running full time."

I am often asked "Are you really going to Florida this winter?" And my answer is "Not this year," but I should like to go.

It was found necessary to drill another well at the Ohio Home as the one supplying water for some years seemed to be letting up some. A good supply of water was again found with rain again, the Home is assured of plenty of water.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stottler and Mr. and Mrs. Howell Stottler are now residing in their own home in Akron.

At a Halloween party in Akron, Mrs. Theodore Goetz, of Sandusky, won the costume prize. She represented the N. R. A. eagle and made a striking appearance. Before her marriage she was Miss Mary Jones, of Akron.

When Miss Albertha Hannaford, of Toledo, was a little girl at our school, I had the pleasure of teaching her for one year and her parents were frequent visitors to my room. They often had little Robert with them and now I learn that some time in October, Mr. and Mrs. Hannaford celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at the home of their son, Robert. Mr. Hannaford loved to take pictures of Albertha's classes and he enjoyed learning to sign to the deaf. I understand he has been a good friend to the Toledo deaf. May the couple celebrate many more anniversaries.

Arthur Sheeter, of Columbus, aged 8, son of deaf parents, caught onto an oil truck one day last week, and was taken on a wild 40-mile ride in the cold. He went as far as Chillicothe before being discovered. He was numb from the cold ride and police looked after him. He was later returned to his home apparently none the worse for his experience, but quite a hero to his young school friends.

"Twenty-one Guns!"

Lawson Poynter, who runs "The Town Crier" column in the *Long Island Press* has this to say: "A deaf old lady moved near Fort Totten. One day the fleet passed by, and the fort fired a salute of twenty-one guns. The deaf old lady got out of her chair, straightened out the things on the table, smoothed out her dress and said sweetly: 'Come in!'"

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CHICAGO

Flick's car stolen! The Rev. Geo. Frederick Flick left his Dodge in front of his home for a few minutes recently, while he entered his apartment before going to St. Simeon's where he was due to show some movies at the Wednesday gathering. Just a few minutes—but when he emerged, it was gone. The Dodge was insured—but the films and movie-projector in the rear seat were not.

The Home for Aged Deaf is now filled to capacity, with several aged deaf on the waiting list. Fifteen residents, besides the matron, her husband, the housekeeper. Recent contributions of vegetables and canned goods came from A. Carpenter, the J. Krafts and A. Woltz, of Joliet; E. W. Heber, of Springfield; and the Robert Blairs, of Chicago.

Hank Crutcher, the brilliant humorist, who for several months owned a poultry business at 1513 Belmont Avenue, is reported to have disposed of his plant and left town with the closing of the Fair.

Over two dozen friends attended a birthday party to Jack Seipp at the Meagher shanty on the 18th. A variety of new games were given, prizes being awarded on the scores of Empire Charles Kemp, Grand Secretary-Presurer of the Frats. Seipp was given a purse of \$6.50 and several presents. An innovation was imposing fines of one cent on everyone arriving after 8:15, the eight cents thusly collected being added to Seipp's purse.

The *Buff and Blue*, student magazine of Gallaudet College, has a high-class staff and high-class contents. This year Miss Caroline Hyman, of Chicago, is not on the Board of Editors—voluntarily resigning to give some newcomer a chance to break into the writing game. It is Caroline's Senior year. Illinois has a representative on the Board, however, in Miss Ruth R. Yeager, from down-state. Looking over the editorial names, one finds quite a number were in Chicago last summer attending the Fair.

Gallaudet College closed her football season by losing to Shepherd College on the 18th, 26-6. This year's record showed a marked improvement over 1932, when its Golden Jubilee of football, Gallaudet failed to score a single point, losing six games with a season score of 0 to 211 points tabulated by the enemy. This year a record was won one, lost five, scoring 53 points to 140 by the hated foe.

With only 80 male students from which to recruit a team, what chance has little Gallaudet against colleges and universities having as many as 2,000 students to draw on? John B. Davis, of Chicago, was one of the stalwarts in Gallaudet's line. Wisconsin's famed Kuglitsch, of whom much was expected, broke a bone in his foot in the first few minutes of the opening game, so was out the rest of the year.

Mesdames Dahl, Tansar and Gray gave a surprise birthday party to Mrs. Joe Miller at her home on the 18th. Attendance, two dozen.

The "U" bridge club met at Mrs. Art Meehan's on the 14th.

The Robert Blairs gave the Home for Aged Deaf two beds, greatly appreciated. They also gave a plant of gorgeous chrysanthemums to Richard Sullivan, 83, who is slowly dying.

Mrs. Ben Ursin was looking out of her front window when an auto struck and killed an eighteen-year-old boy right in front of the home. She failed to catch the license number.

Three Akronites were among the very last to see the World's Fair, now closed—Rawling, Sellers and Kranza.

Miss Katherine Kilcoyne is no longer working in the Oak Park Hospital. The annual bazaar and supper of All Angels' will be held on December 9th, at the church, Racine and Leland.

Mr. Ferris dropped dead last Friday at Madison and Clark Streets, where mutes congregate for social conversation every evening.

Mrs. C. Elmes preached at Grace M. E. Church, Sunday, November 19th, during the absence of her father. Rev. Hasenstab attended the annual district conference at South Bend, Ind.

WISCONSIN NOTES

Coach Neesman of the Wisconsin State School, is putting his basketball players through their paces in prepara-

tion for the coming season's activities. The following schedule for 1933 and 1934 has been arranged—

November 28th—Fort Atkinson High at Milton.
December 8th—Whitewater City High at Whitewater.
December 9th—Woodstock High at Delavan.
December 15th—Harvard High at Harvard.
January 6th—Whitewater High at Delavan.
January 12th—Beloit Vocational at Beloit.
January 19th—Edgewood High at Delavan.
January 20th—Milton College Seconds at Milton.
January 26th—Woodstock High at Woodstock.
February 3d—Harvard High at Delavan.
February 6th—St. Mary's High at Woodstock.
February 9th—Edgewood High, there.
February 10th—Milton College Seconds at Delavan.
February 16th—Beloit Vocational at Delavan.
February 23d, 24th—Central States Tournament at Delavan.

The Central States tournament will be a round robin affair and the following State Schools for the Deaf are expected to send teams here: Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky and Michigan. With the Wisconsin school this makes five teams. Each will play four games and the championship will be decided on a percentage basis.

Harvey Boldt, center of the basketball team, received an injury Saturday in scrimmage. A gash was cut in his forehead which required three stitches to close.

THIRD FLAT.

3348 W. Harrison St.

OMAHA

The deaf of Omaha learned with deep regret of the passing of Iowa's most illustrious deaf citizen, Dr. J. Schuyler Long. He was interested in the Fontenelle Literary Society, giving several talks or lectures, in his easy, masterful style. He was the moving spirit of the Midwest Chapter meetings and banquets for years. His ready wit, his wealth of experience, his unbiased judgment and sincerity of purpose, all combined to make Dr. Long a leader of men. He was president of Omaha Division No. 32, and the capable chairman of the local committee for the 1915 N. F. S. D. convention. Last winter he was a patient at the Immanuel Hospital for several months, and with Mrs. Long he spent the summer at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Thompson. At this season we can be thankful for the memory of his long and useful life in our community. He has been a good friend of the Iowa school, he furnished the inspiration for many Iowans to enter Gallaudet College, and most of them finished the course. Mrs. Long and daughter, Dorothy, were a wonderful help during his illness, and to them and Edith Long Stevenson, of California, we extend our sincere sympathy in their loss. Dr. Long's philosophy was well expressed in the opening lines of a favorite poem: "Let me live in a house by the side of the road, and be a friend to man."

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar M. Treuke entertained Mr. and Mrs. George L. Revers at dinner on Wednesday, October 25th. On Tuesday, November 7th, Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Long also entertained them at a dinner, the occasion being the 10th birthday of Mr. Long. Mrs. Revers left Friday morning, November 10th, for an extended visit with friends in Oklahoma.

On Saturday afternoon, November 11th, the Iowa School for the Deaf team clashed with the N. S. D. gridders on Booth Field. It was a perfect day for the fans. The game was a thriller, although it was not up to par. Nick Petersen's boys outplayed the Iowans, but the latter went home with the long end of a 7 to 0 score. The lone touchdown came in the first five minutes of play, when Blue of Iowa capped a 38-yard run by crossing the marker, and a pass added the extra point. In the second period the N. S. D. boys advanced 55 yards on nine plays, but then the whistle sounded. The Nebraskans

held a slight edge during the last two periods, but missed a chance to score on Failla's place-kick from the 20-yard line.

The first of five entertainments for the year was given by Omaha Division at the N. S. D., on November 4th. It was called a carnival, and several borrowed slot-machines and games of skill were kept busy all evening. A balloon-tossing game between picked teams provoked much laughter and excitement, and a balloon-bursting "waltz" became a scuffle, with contestants in the center of a ring of spectators.

Miss Katharine Kilcoyne, of Chicago, visited with her old school friend, Mrs. Addie Parkhurst Ormes. She brought along a valuable cat. One afternoon Miss Kilcoyne was the guest of honor at a party which included some former schoolmates; Mrs. Laursen, Mrs. Clayton, Mrs. Cusaden, Miss Tikalsky, and Mrs. Ormes.

Scott Cusaden visited his eighty-four-year old mother at Chillicothe, Ohio, late in October. He also stopped to see his brother, Fred, in Chicago, and also the Fair, made a detour to Delavan, Wis., visited his college friend Fred Moore at Columbus, and stopped at Akron to look up friends who worked with him at Goodyear during the war. Quite a trip, but Scott deserved a good vacation from his work.

Mrs. Emma Seely entertained the Midwest Owls on November 4th. Mrs. Ota Blankenship won the prize at bridge, and a tasty home-cooked dinner was served.

The Fontenelle Literary Society held its regular meeting Saturday night, November 18th. C. Millard Bilger gave a very interesting and instructive paper on "The Priceless Orchid." Joe Purpura gave an account of his recent trip to Chicago and the Fair. Robert W. Mullin and Robert E. Dobson told short stories.

The "Episcopal Family" gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Long, Wednesday evening, November 8th, with 14 present. It was decided to give a hot supper and card party, probably at Trinity Cathedral Parish House, in the latter part of January.

The Catholic Epiphany Club gave a large party in the newly decorated basement of St. Mary Madalene Church, Sunday evening, November 12th. There was an attendance of 120, a record-breaker for some time. There were 22 tables at bridge and 7 at "500." It was a congenial crowd and everybody seemed happy. Owen Study won the gent's prize for highest score, with several runner-ups. He received a handsome carved leather billfold. Miss Elizabeth Holway, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo R. Holway, won the ladies' prize, a beautiful Persian teapot. Mike Varnick won a fine box of stationery for the highest score at "500." Millard Bilger held the lucky number for the door prize, an eleven-pound ham, and Mrs. John Roennfeldt, of Council Bluffs, won two pounds of Butternut coffee as a second prize, and Miss Rita Powers won third, a box of candy. Council Bluffs sent quite a delegation, and there were some twenty hearing friends present. Coffee and cake were served. Due credit is given the committee for their efforts in making it such a success. Joe Purpura, the chairman, a young hustler, was assisted by George L. Revers, Mr. and Mrs. Holway, Mrs. Edmund Bernier, Miss Viola Gleeson and Miss Clara Purpura.

Rev. Homer E. Grace was in Omaha October 28th. He gave an interesting sermon at Trinity Cathedral Sunday afternoon, the 29th, and was dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Jelinek.

HAL AND MEL.

St. Matthew's Lutheran Mission for the Deaf
ARTHUR BOLL, Pastor
102 Hewes Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Services for the deaf in sign-language every Sunday afternoon in the church, 177 South 9th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y., at 3 P.M.
The church is located near the Plaza of the Williamsburg bridge on South 9th Street between Driggs Avenue and Roebeling Street. Macy Avenue is the nearest station on the Broadway Elevated.
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SEATTLE

Mrs. Nellie Waugh, beloved wife of A. K. Waugh, passed away November 14th at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Schaal, after several weeks of illness. The cause of her death was an injured knee. Her physician called it *steochondroma* (bone and cartilage). There were over 100 deaf and hearing friends at the church, which was beautifully decorated with chrysanthemums and other flowers. Rev. W. A. Westermann and a hearing minister, Rev. Baker, officiated. Our pastor spoke both orally and in the sign language at the same time, and acted as interpreter too. Mrs. Agatha Hanson rendered "Nearer, My God, to Thee" and "Rock of Ages" gracefully, at the church and at the cemetery. The pallbearers were Messrs. Adams, Christensen, Reeves, Koberstein, Axt and Coder. Heartfelt sympathy is extended to Mr. Waugh, his daughter and son-in-law, from all the deaf. Mr. and Mrs. Waugh and their little girl, Lydia, a few years old, came to Seattle over twenty-five years ago, and have made hosts of friends. A year or so ago Mrs. Waugh's knee began to trouble her so that she was forced to go around on crutches. Last September she fell at her home, aggravating the injury, received many years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Schaal took her to their home, where she was well cared for. Mrs. Waugh attended the Illinois school.

The Open House social November 11th, managed by Harry Landreyou for the P. S. A. D., was a big success. Nearly 100 attended, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. E. Fredrickson, Mr. and Mrs. G. Pierson, Miss H. Wardell and Wilbur Jensen, of Everett; Mrs. F. Medcalf and Mr. Sneve, of Sylva; and Mr. and Mrs. Henrich, of Redmond. Those winning prizes for new games, bridge and "500" were Mrs. Landreyou, Mrs. Koberstein (twice), Wilbur Jensen, Mrs. Gustin, L. O. Christensen, and Henry Matterson. Mrs. Hanson's game was one of the most enjoyable. Mrs. Hanson, N. C. Garrison and A. H. Koberstein were the able assistants in planning everything besides the refreshments. We hope the membership of our club will increase as a result of this social activity.

Auntie Pauline Gustin's house was open to the Seattle ladies November 8th, for the monthly luncheon. There were plenty of good things to eat on the table. "Five hundred" was played, and the first and booby prizes were won by Mrs. Claire Reeves and the writer, respectively.

A little while ago, when Mrs. N. C. Garrison was preparing dinner, her griddle caught fire. She threw it into the sink, but the fire spread to the curtain and shade above. Hastily turning on the faucet, Mrs. Garrison hurled water on the fire and saved her home. The curtains and shades were a loss. The kitchen needs a new coat of paint now.

Mrs. Thomas Bradshaw wrote that she and her husband are happy on Orcas Island, and that Mr. Bradshaw constructed several buildings on the lovely estate. They plan coming over to Seattle soon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jack, of Chehalis, spent Halloween week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lorenz and Mr. and Mrs. Burgett in Tacoma, and met several other friends.

Rudolph Stuh, of Bremerton, was retired from the Navy Yard on pension, after twenty-four years of faithful service. A party was tendered in his honor October 31st, with a large crowd of old employees, and he was presented with a travelling bag and a wrist watch after speeches were made. Bountiful refreshments were served.

Mary, sixteen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bodley, was again awarded this year a honor pin as one of the best students at Garfield High School. She is a Junior. Her younger sister, Grace, is a member of the Camp Fire Girls—and an enthusiastic one.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright gave a bridge party last night to about a dozen friends. Mrs. Koberstein and Mrs. W. E. Brown won first and booby prizes. This is a series of monthly bridge parties to be given in turn by those especially fond of the game.

PUGET SOUND.

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To the humblest and the weakest
'Neath the all-beholding sun,
That wrong is also done to us,
And they are slaves most base,
Whose love of right is for themselves
And not for all the race."

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DECEMBER 4TH next marks the anniversary of the birth of Isaac Lewis Peet, L.L.D., whose services Fanwood holds in affectionate memory. He succeeded his father, Dr. Harvey Prindle Peet, as Principal of the New York School for the Deaf, in 1867, and continued until his retirement in 1892. His full record of service at the School includes the periods—Teacher, 1845-1867; Principal, 1867-1892; Principal-Emeritus, 1892-1898. He gave most intense and faithful study and attention to all details the education of the deaf, and throughout his life was active in their service. A good man of a lovable character, charming disposition, and a great teacher and Principal, whose memory will ever hold an abiding place in the hearts of the alumni of Fanwood, and hosts of others who knew him personally.

EDUCATIONAL leaders are somewhat concerned as a result of the study of the conditions surrounding children today. Some rather far-fetched theories have been broached, but the wildest suggestion treats of keeping children out of school until they have reached the age of ten, and then having them at school continually until they have finished the course. This idea has elements so absurd as to be ridiculous, but it is not wholly new, and might have worked in a way years ago when the minds of children were formed at home under parental supervision. Then, it is claimed, children learned concentration, application and, above all else, obedience, for the home training was active.

There are, undoubtedly still to be found instances of the old system of home training going on in well-regulated families, but these seem to be rare instances, as the children of today apparently receive a sort of passive training at home, under the impression that such training is the function of the schools, though it is not generally carried out as not being a part of the school curriculum. We read much of children having become too individualistic, with little sense of obedience or mental discipline, and that their minds do not concentrate upon what is required of them.

Modern parents are said to be too occupied with household and social duties to attend to training their children, and would leave to the school teacher the responsibility and task of performing what is strict-parental duty. It is home training that should form the minds of children along the channels that lead to obedience and mental improvement. In this connection an interesting note is advanced by a district superintendent of schools that in the public schools of New York City: "The school is coming to be viewed more and more as a social agency, responsible for the development of every

side of a child's nature and interested in improving his economic and social condition as well as his intellectual and moral state." He adds that the public schools are probably the largest social service agency in that city today, and that few people have any conception of the magnitude of the work that is being done in this field.

Another aspect of a like subject, in its relation to the resident schools for the deaf, is presented in *The School Helper*, as follows:—

"These pupils who come to us from the public schools! Compared to our pupils, their attitude is not right, they have poor study habits, they have difficulty concentrating, and for writing, spelling, punctuation, paragraphing, capitalization, and neatness we almost give up in despair. Often they have studied algebra when they do not know their tables. We are prone to get a great deal of satisfaction out of comparing these deafened children to our deaf ones, forgetting that these are the misfits and failures of the public schools. A greater and genuine satisfaction comes after two or three years when we see their shortcomings drop from them one by one and we see them step forth as we like to see them."

STANLEY ROBINSON, deaf and blind, whose well written and interesting articles have frequently appeared in the JOURNAL, has gone to his final rest; he died at the Gallaudet Home for Aged and Infirm Deaf on Tuesday, November 21st. Stanley was born at Jamesburgh, N. J., October 23d, 1863, and became deaf at the age of nine. As a child the sight of his left eye was defective, and he eventually became totally blind. He became a pupil at the New York School in September, 1877, where careful attention was given to training his power of speech; he was able to speak fluently throughout his life. While most of his school work was through Braille, the manual alphabet and signs; he also used a typewriter and did all his composition work by that means. He made splendid progress in the regular school course, graduating from the high class with honor in June, 1894. He was a voluminous reader, being especially interested in books of history and travel.

Twice a year he visited the school, becoming a familiar figure to the pupils and teachers; with most of the latter he was well acquainted, using speech in conversing with the hearing, and the manual alphabet in receiving their remarks. With the deaf he used the alphabet and signs, reading the latter rapidly and understandingly in conversation. He had an agreeable disposition and quite a brilliant mind, forming a most interesting character. He was one of the large group of the deaf-blind that has graduated from Fanwood, at least a dozen of whom took the full regular course, passing with credit through the High Class.

THE *Iowa Hawkeye's* issue of November announces changes in the organization of its school work to the effect: Mr. Howard M. Quigley has been made Acting Principal for the remainder of the school year. Mr. Tom L. Anderson takes full charge of the Vocational Department with the title of Principal of the Vocational School, and Miss Hilda Tillinghast has been newly appointed as Supervisor of the Intermediate Department.

The Abbe de l'Epee

The 24th of November of this year was the 221st anniversary of the birth of the Abbe de l'Epee. He was born at Versailles, France, in 1712.

Previous to the eighteenth century it was the general belief that the deaf were incapable of instruction. But through the wisdom and boundless charity of de l'Epee all that changed. His meeting with two little girls deprived of hearing and speech led him to consecrate his life to the intellectual and moral regeneration of the deaf.

He early saw the need of some kind of a communication between himself and his pupils. This led to his inventing the sign language which has come to be a great boon to the deaf in all walks of life. He even propagated it as a universal language.

The goodness of the Abbe de l'Epee was not confined to France alone. He appealed to many sovereigns in Europe in behalf of the deaf and secured their help to

establish national schools in their countries. He even went so far as to learn the languages of the several countries in which schools were founded in order to be of more help. He and his successor, the Abbe Sicard, trained teachers from Italy, Germany, Spain and our own country. It was through Sicard that Thomas Hopkins Gallaudet received his training, and so did Laurent Clerc who accompanied Gallaudet to America.

The deaf of America showed in part, their gratitude to the Abbe de l'Epee by dedicating a large bronze statue of him in Buffalo a few years ago.—*The Ohio Chronicle*.

DETROIT

News items intended for this column should be sent to Mrs. Lucy E. May, 1353 Temple Ave., Detroit, Mich. Such news items from Detroiters and vicinity as well as from the deaf of Michigan will be most welcome and have prompt attention.

The St. John's Ladies League had a meeting at St. John's Parish House on November 10th. In the evening Mrs. Emma Hannan arranged a keno social, which drew a good crowd. Another keno social is to be held on the 18th of November, arranged by Mrs. Fred Homan.

Mrs. C. Colby, of Washington, D. C., stopped in the G. A. R. building where the N. F. S. D. held an Armistice mask ball, and gave everybody a big surprise. She dressed up as "Miss Armistice." Mr. Heymansson was the general chairman, the floor committees were Messrs. Behrendt, Davies, Drake, Hellers, Japes and Lobsinger. About fifty people were masked in different costumes. The five judges appointed were: Mr. Austin, of Flint; Messrs. Duff, of Detroit; Ed. Schmidt and Frank Holland, of Chicago, and Mrs. Kruger, of Detroit. The first prizes of five dollars each were awarded to Miss Reiker in "Mae West" costume, Mr. A. Webster as Charlie Chaplin, George Pusey, Chinese second, and Mr. Fox, a hearing man. Third prize to Mrs. Walker (N. R. A.) and Mr. Meghiffy. Fourth prize to Mrs. Grace Davis, Spanish, and Mr. Stutsman as Knight. Fifth to Helen Baird and Master M. Reed.

Door prizes were awarded to Mr. Schneider, Mrs. Goth, Mr. Seiss, of Pontiac, and Miss Belcke and Mr. R. Beaver.

The N. F. S. D., No. 2, will have a keno social at A. D. A., on November 25th, and another at the G. A. R., on December 2d.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Friday and some of their friends left last week for Chicago to visit the World's Fair, while the Ford Motor Co., laid men off for seven days.

About twenty friends of Mrs. Edward Dirren and her sister, Mina Sundquist, gave them a surprise birthday party at their residence on November 6th. Mrs. Edward Ball's daughter made a delicious birthday cake. Good games were played and a pot luck supper was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lynch took Mrs. Nellie Kenney and Miss Helen Warsaw in their Plymouth car to Akron, C., to attend the Halloween mask ball at N. F. S. D.'s hall. The hall was crowded with over 300 people. Mr. Roy Lynch was the lucky one and won three dollars cash.

Mrs. Arthur Gagne, aged sixty-six, passed away on November 11th, at his home. Heart trouble caused his death. He survivors are his wife, one son and one daughter. The burial was on last Tuesday. Father Higgins, of Holy Redeemer, officiated at the funeral services in the Catholic Church. He was a Frat member.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Meyer's baby died one day after birth last Tuesday.

The M. A. D. will have Judge Moynihan, Mrs. Alger, Mr. O'Connor, of Lansing, who is on State Labor Committee, on the floor at Book Cadillac on December 8th. Everyone unemployed is welcome.

On November 30th, the Cadillac Association of the Deaf and Mute American Co-operation Association will have a keno social, dancing and other amusements at its club hall. Everybody is welcome. Admission free. Checking will be ten cents.

Rev. H. B. Waters has left for Kalamazoo, Grand Rapids and Battle Creek to give services this week.

About fifty Detroiters attended the football game between the Wisconsin and Flint deaf teams on November 4th. The score was nothing. In the evening, the Flint Social Club held a Halloween social. The crowd was very large.

Messrs. Heymansson, Japes, Jones and Kenney were in Flint on business with the officers of M. A. D. Mr. O'Connor, of Lansing, was there with them.

Mrs. Speers, of Bay City, who attended the Armistice mask ball at G. A. R., spent the week-end visiting with the Darlings, Stempkowski, Fridays and Hellers.

Mr. William Greenbaum is still confined at Redford Receiving Branch Hospital after he had an operation. He is reported much improved at present.

Mrs. L. E. May.

Nov. 15th, 1933.

The most profitable criticism is self-criticism.

Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dr. J. Schuyler Long's sudden demise was a great shock to us, especially Mrs. Holliday who had taught at the Iowa School nine years. We had been led to believe that he was on the road to recovery after the operations he underwent. The last we saw of him was at the Edgewood School several years ago, when Supt. A. C. Manning invited the college people to dinner so they could have the pleasure of meeting Dr. Long. He was on an inspection tour, always eager for new ideas which would aid in his school work. Having known him so well, we can fully understand what his passing means to the Iowa deaf, and to Mrs. Long and the daughters we extend our heartfelt sympathy.

We also were grieved at the death of our friends, Dr. Olof Hanson and Mr. Hodgson. One of Mrs. Hanson's sisters lives next door to us and it was through her that we received the sad news. Dr. Hanson was last in this city for a short visit with his wife's sister soon after the N. A. D. convention at Washington. D. C. His daughters Marion and Alice, were also visiting next door at the time.

Carl Behner, of Altoona, visited the writers Sunday, November 12th. He was enroute home from his third visit to the Chicago Fair. What particularly held his interest at the Fair were the foreign shows, as he had been to Europe several times and was in a position to make comparisons. October 18th, he returned to work in the test department of the P. R. R. shops at Altoona after a lay-off of a year and half. They just had to call him back as they were several months behind in work and needed an expert metallurgist. It was the N. R. A. which so adjusted conditions in the shop that made possible his return.

Saturday evening, November 11th, the P. S. A. D. local branch, under the direction of W. J. Gibson had a social at St. Peter's Parish. Games with prizes for the winners took up the major part of the time. Toward the end refreshments were sold which with the admission charge, brought the proceeds up to nearly eleven dollars. This is not so much, but every little helps these difficult days.

Although living so distant as Altoona, John H. Butterbaugh is a regular attendant at the local frat meetings. At the last he made it known that the report in the *Western Pennsylvanian* to the effect that Miss Louisa Turner, of Unionville, had passed away, was erroneous. She was seen at a recent Johnstown gathering.

Mrs. Maud Grady, of Alton, Ill., has been in town for a month visiting with her son, who is a truck driver for Kaufman's Department store.

Rev. Warren Smaltz came here for communion services at Trinity Chapel Sunday morning, November 19th. Before services he gave a brief resume of his first year's work around the circuit, expressing his change from the old field and stating the results exceeded his expectations in view of the general depressed conditions. "Variety is the spice of life" is another reason he likes his new field better. He has to be on the go more of the time now as his field comprises such places as Pittsburgh, Harrisburg, Johnstown, Greensburg, Monongahela, Beaver Falls, Redbank, Williamsport and a few others. That is plenty to occupy one's time with no danger of rusting. Traveling over the scenic Pennsylvania mountains is inspiring, and seeing more people at so many different places adds to his knowledge of human nature thereby benefiting his sermons, which are greatly appreciated.

No. 36 N. F. S. D. had a harvest social at the P. A. D. hall Saturday November 18th, with William McK. Steward in charge. Old but still enjoyable games such as bingo, "Going to Jerusalem," dropping clothespins into a milk bottle, etc., took up the evening's time. Warm refreshments were sold before the crowd scattered. Mr. Stewart, still unattached, showed up the married men by his cuisine skill, as the savory vitals were such that any housewife might feel proud of having done over the stove. It would not be entirely a bad idea for him to fasten himself on some young lady who has a position outside the home.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Montgomery, of Donora, Pa., were at the above services. Several years ago Guy lost the sight of one eye from an accident in the steel mills where he had been employed for about twenty years and has been on the pension list since.

Edwin Hazel, who has been in the hospital for observation, is around after a two week's stay. An operation was not necessary as feared.

Chas. R. Myles has returned to work after a long layoff, owing to serious illness. He appears to be gaining strength rapidly.

THE HOLIDAYS

Some people are making such thorough preparations for rainy days that they aren't enjoying today's sunshine.

FANWOOD

Friday, November 24th was Founders Day at Fanwood. Regular school classes were dismissed at ten o'clock, and at ten-thirty all assembled in the chapel. After the Colors were brought in, and the exercises opened with a prayer, Supt. Skyberg explained to the pupils the meaning of Founders Day as observed at our school, and mentioned the names of illustrious persons connected with it in the past.

Supt. Skyberg also said that the exercises this year were of unusual interest, for on this day the ceremonies were held particularly in honor of the man who may properly be called the founder of the New York School for the Deaf, Rev. John Stanford.

The program consisted of the unveiling of Rev. Stanford's portrait, a bequest received last spring under the terms of the will of the founder's great-grandson, Nathan S. Jarvis, U. S. A. Mrs. Nathan S. Jarvis was present at the unveiling and very graciously consented to speak to our assembled boys and girls.

Mrs. Jarvis recalled how, while on a voyage to Europe, she and Major Jarvis made the acquaintance of Dr. Thomas Francis Fox and Mr. Edwin A. Hodgson on shipboard and how they met again frequently in several continental cities. She stated that this meeting was directly responsible for Major Jarvis' decision to bequeath his great-grandfather's portrait to the School.

Mrs. Jarvis further honored the School by presenting to us a copy of the Memoirs of Rev. John Stanford, a copy of his coat of arms, and his red velvet smoking cap. Mrs. Jarvis' gift also included two oil paintings representing old hospital scenes.

The whole occasion was one of unusual interest, for through Mrs. Jarvis' interesting talk it was possible to bring us, so to speak, into immediate contact with the sympathetic and understanding spirit of the founder of the School.

In the afternoon at half-past one o'clock, the companies of the Cadet Battalion had their annual competitive drill for the honor of carrying the Colors for the ensuing year. First in order was the Review of the Battalion. The reviewing officer was Lieut. W. C. Conover, from Governor's Island. Next came the "Silent Drill" by the Provisional Company, composed of the pick of the cadets. The long drill was beautifully executed with verve and precision, ending with a setting-up exercise timed to music. Upon its completion the Battalion Evening Parade was performed, after which the companies had their competition, which is always keenly contested. The new uniforms and crisp weather added zest to the maneuvers, which were witnessed by the teaching staff and the girl pupils, along with the usual crowd of spectators that always line the fence on Fort Washington Avenue.

At the conclusion, Lieut. Conover addressed the cadets, Supt. Skyberg interpreting. He congratulated the boys on their splendid showing individually and as companies, which made it quite hard to decide on the winner. In his opinion Company B was just a shade the better, in fact so slight, that there were several other companies competing Company A surely would have been second.

In the evening at 7:30 the Protean Society, Adrastian Society, and two guests invited by the Proteans, marched into the Officers' Dining Room and were served with a delicious turkey dinner. After dinner the boys and girls, accompanied by the House Mother, Miss Muirhead, went to the Protean Room, where games were enjoyed until 10:30, after which all retired with memories of a wonderful time. Invited guests were Cadet Assistant Band Leader Sergeant Louis Pucci and Color Sergeant Louis Pacifico.

Misses K. Durso, L. Tauro, M. Mazur, K. Hager, V. Nickraz and H. Reston, chaperoned by Mrs. M. Voorhees, girls physical director, enjoyed a most interesting and delightful evening last Sunday. They attended a Swiss folk dancing festival at the New School for Social Research. There were many Swiss peasants in costume to demonstrate the various cantons or provinces of Switzerland. Their hand carving in various mediums of wood and ivory were on display, also woolen garments in individual patterns were shown. The hall was artistically decorated with scenes from that lovely country. Maps helped to refresh the guests' geography in locating the country in which they were dancing—in imagination. Swiss dancing figures are popular here at the moment.

A meeting of the Executive Committee was held on Wednesday, November 22d, at the Board Room of the Title Guarantee & Trust Co., 176 Broadway, at 2:30 P.M. The following members were present: Major Francis G. Landon, President, Messrs. Bronson Winthrop and Aymar Johnson, also Superintendent Skyberg and Acting Steward Davis.

Quiteness pervades the school grounds this week while nearly all of the pupils are at home for the Thanksgiving recess, which commenced on Tuesday, the 28th and continues till December 4th. Those remaining at school enjoyed a bountiful Thanksgiving dinner with all the attendant trimmings.

A group of five boys started on an auto trip to Washington, D. C., on Tuesday morning in a Chevrolet coupe. They were Cadets G. Crich-ton, J. Kowalczyk, L. Auerbach, with T. Kolenda driving. They expect to stop at places of interest along the way, and wind up with a call on their former schoolmate, Felix Kowalewski, now at Gallaudet College.

Mr. John B. Hague, Chief, Special Schools Bureau, New York State Department of Education, was a caller here on Thursday. He made a thorough inspection of all departments, and had dinner with the pupils in the main dining room.

Kansas City

KENTUCKY-MISSOURI GAME NOTES

In a thrilling game, rather between schoolmates than between schools, Claude Hoffmeyer's Kentuckians bested the Missouri team coached by Arthur Merklin, by a 19-6 score. Merklin and Hoffmeyer were schoolmates, and they graduated from the Missouri school three years apart.

The failure of Missouri's one-man team to score at several crucial times cost it a possible victory. Just the same, the conquest by Kentucky is not to be taken lightly as it brought a team that is rated one of the best teams Missouri has encountered this year.

The outstanding player in the game was Paul Dake, Missouri half-back. He did the bulk of offense, and time and again he threw a scare into the opponents with his spectacular dashes that ended short of the goal.

The game drew a record crowd of alumni from scattered towns throughout this state. It said that the gathering was so large that it almost matched the last reunion held at Fulton a few years ago.

Imagine Superintendent Ingle playing football! That's what he did on a team made up of alumni against the M. S. D. third team. Evidently he thinks he is not yet too old to play. So do we, ourselves—and weren't we pleased to catch him at it!

Miss Pauline Newman, of St. Louis, is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wellbaum for a week or so, after having been to Fulton for the homecoming game.

Already the managerial staff of the Sports Club has arranged to have the club participate in the annual city basketball tournament. The roster of the team will include P. McPherson, N. Spencer, R. Coll, H. Stack, L. Stack and other hesitating candidates. G. Miller and M. Mossel are the managers, with W. Marra as the team scorer. The election for captaincy will be held as soon as the team is well organized.

Miss Lila Buster and her mother will vacate their home within a few days, to live in a newly remodeled apartment just around the corner.

A large number of the deaf is expected to be at Olathe for the Turkey Day game between Chillicothe Indians and Coach Foltz's famed deaf-mutes, themselves. Right after the game, belated chicken dinner will be served, and following immediately the House of Mystery social will be held. Prizes will be awarded to winners of various contests. Oh yes, it will cost you thirty-five cents to stuff in almost the whole of a chicken (regular sized—I suppose) and extra ten cents if curiosity should prompt you to pay to see the "Dodo bird." The Foltz say that the "birdie" is the one and only one in existence. The benevolent friends of Olathe arranged all that to raise money for the Kansas City convention fund.

SUNDRY

Mrs. Isabella Gilbert was surprised when she received a handsome cheque from her son, Mr. Henry Gilbert, and also useful gifts for her birthday from the party, which included Rev. G. Braddock, Mr. and Mrs. McLaren, Mr. and Mrs. Wollman, Mr. and Mrs. Hoag, Mr. and Mrs. Leibson, Mr. Anderson and his sister Elizabeth; Mr. and Mrs. A. Goldfogle, Mr. and Mrs. Ehret, Mrs. Ahmes, Mr. and Mrs. Rathem, and Mr. and Mrs. Donovan.

Mrs. Arabella Gibbs, of Coxsackie, N. Y., who had been spending several weeks with her nephew and niece in Montclair, N. J., returned home on November 26th. On Friday evening, November 24th, when Mrs. Gibbs was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Emil Scheffer in Glen Ridge, a few friends dropped in to wish her bon voyage. They were Miss Alice Carroll and Messrs. Roy J. Hapward, Halstead DeMoyné and Oliver W. McInturf.

On November 26th, Sunday afternoon, Morris Davis, Metropolitan A. A. U. thirty-one miles walking champion, won third prize in the Metropolitan A. A. U. seven miles walking championship contest, in fifty-six minutes, fifty-one seconds. He hopes to win the annual Thanksgiving Day walk from City Hall to Coney Island on Thursday at 11 A.M., and the Metropolitan A. A. U. fifteen miles championship around Central Park on December 10th, at 10 A.M., starting at 108th Street and Eighth Avenue.

PHILADELPHIA

News items for this column should be sent to Howard S. Ferguson, 250 W. Sparks St., Olney, Philadelphia, Pa.

The Annual Bal Masque of the Silent Athletic Club, Inc., of Philadelphia, held on Saturday evening, November 4th, proved to be a huge success, even in spite of these hard and trying times, attracting upwards to 400 people, which proved to be one the largest crowds attending an affair in the Quaker City in a good while. Many out-of-town visitors were noted, particularly from upstate towns and cities. New York City had a big delegation here and the same goes for Trenton, Newark and Jersey City. Many came dressed up in costumes, and cash prizes were awarded to both sexes. Mrs. Harold Wink and Mr. Ladislav Tulibacki carried off first honors. Second prizes went to Mrs. Hyman Applebaum and Mr. Joseph Brodsky. Third prizes were won by Mrs. Berk, of New York City, and Mr. Frank Mescol. Fourth prizes went to Mrs. John Walsh and Master Zachary Solov. The winners of the other prizes went to the following in their order: Mr. Stein, Miss M. Palmer, Mr. H. Cusack, Maurice Levin, Betty Evans, A. Gerbe, E. Bowie, M. McGovern, A. Carroll, Sid Schwartz, R. O'Neill, E. Flynn and J. Ruostok. All praise for the success of this ball should go to the efficient and hard working chairman, Edward Evans, and his committee of Frances O'Donnell, John Dunner, Geo. Aschman, Sam Barmach, John DeChiacchio and Harry Sharavsky.

Last October 21st, at All Souls' Parish House, the annual card party of the Fair Godmother's Club was held, attracting one of the largest crowds ever. Twenty-five tables for card-playing were laid out and everyone was occupied with four people. Games of pinocle, "500," bridge and fan-tan were indulged in and more than seventy-five prizes were given to the contestants, according to the highest points scored in each set of game, so on down the list. Coffee and cakes were served after the card party. Then the cakes that were left over were auctioned off, netting the Fair Godmother's Club a neat sum. All in all, it was a huge success and the money taken in will help to keep the room in the Home for the Aged and Infirm Deaf at Torresdale in ship-shape.

Johnny Roach, just as chipper and gay as he was fifteen years ago when the writer first came to know him, arrived at his fifty-first milestone last November 16th. According to Johnny it was just another day in his life, and if it was not for the fact that he received a bundle of birthday cards, he probably would not have known it was his natal day. Congratulations to you, Johnny, and many more to come.

A pretty wedding was performed in Wilmington, Del., on Sunday, October 15th, at high noon, in which Miss Ida Ruth Ellingsworth of that city became the bride of Mr. Carl Fragin, formerly of Scranton and Philadelphia, but now of Wilmington, Del., where he has a steady position as a linotype operator on the *Sunday Star*. After the wedding a reception was held in the bride's parents' home. Later in the day the happy couple left for a honeymoon trip by automobile to Luray, Va., to take in the wonderful Luray Caverns. A stop-over in Washington, D. C., was part of the itinerary. Mr. and Mrs. Fragin are now settled in a lovely apartment in the suburbs of Wilmington, and for the benefit of their friends, their address is 900 Delaware Avenue.

Little Kay Cusack, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cusack, of Olney, had the misfortune of cracking a bone in her right arm, the result of a fall. At present writing it is healing nicely.

A Deutsche Nichte Social was held in the rooms of the Silent Athletic Club for the benefit of the Frat Frolic Committee of the Philadelphia Division, No. 30, N. F. S. D., with a crowd of one hundred present. Games of pinocle and "500" and darts were enjoyed, and drinks and sandwiches were sold which netted the committee a tidy sum to start the ball rolling for their annual Frat Frolic to be held on Saturday evening, February 3d, 1934.

Mr. Robert Robinson is just about fully recovered from his serious operation of acute appendicitis, which he had removed some time ago. If anyone ever gets to thinking how badly off they are when they get sick, they have nothing on Bob. This happened to be his seventh trip to hospitals during the last nine years and yet one will not find him kicking.

Mr. Howard S. Ferguson is now correspondent for the Philadelphia column and is enthusiastic about it. Philadelphia is such a big and prominent city that it should be well represented in the news columns. But with many things happening or affairs going on at the same time, one person cannot be everywhere. Help keep the column full of news by sending items of interest to Howard S. Ferguson, 250 W. Sparks Street, Olney, Philadelphia.

H. S. F.

Most of us talk, not because we have anything to say, but because silence is embarrassing.

NEW YORK

Though many of our deaf are still unemployed, at the various societies of the deaf activities have started in real earnest.

First of all it is the oldest "Fraternal Society of our Greater City, the Brooklyn Division, No. 23. Last Saturday marked the best and most successful party for a long time.

The Fair at St. Ann's Church, an account of which has already appeared in this column was also successful, both socially and financially.

The N. A. D. local committee are also hustling; besides the Grand Frolic Ball at the famed Hotel Pennsylvania, on the 12th of January, they will celebrate Gallaudet's Day on the 10th of December, in the assembly room of the Deaf-Mutes' Union League, with a literary night. The committee assures us that it will be a big affair. Admission will be only 25 cents, and the proceeds will go towards the convention fund. Again the N. A. D. committee is indebted to the Deaf-Mutes' Union League for the use of the assembly room free of charge.

The Knights and Ladies of De'Epee, too, are actively engaged. In December, they will stage basketball games at the St. Francis Xavier's gymnasium, 45 West Fifteenth Street (between Fifth and Sixth Avenues). The chief attraction will be between the teams of the De'Epee and Deaf-Mutes' Union League, and the preliminary game will be between the K. L. D. Juniors and the Margraf Club.

The Xavier Ephpheta Society, the oldest Catholic society composed of deaf-mutes, which a year ago celebrated its fiftieth anniversary, as usual, on January 27th, will hold its monster carnival, which will include basketball games. The trophy will be the one won last year by the Fanwood A. A., which must be contested for again to become the permanent prize of the winner three times in succession.

Mr. Jerry Fives, who has again been elected the president of the society, and who has so admirably conducted the previous carnival of sports, is sure to be the chief promoter, and the deaf are sure to enjoy an evening of pleasure at this big event. Like the Deaf-Mutes' Union League, the Xavier boys have by experience learned that it does not pay to hold these meetings in a big armory, which sometimes is not heated properly. This year they will hold theirs in the Bryant Hall (formerly Lyric Hall), where the N. A. D. held their second convention in 1883—fifty years ago.

The Deaf-Mutes' Union League's movie shows under the able management of Mr. Ludwig Fischer are becoming more and more popular. The show two weeks ago drew the largest attendance for some time, which has greatly encouraged Mr. Fischer, and the show on Saturday and Sunday, November 25th and 26th, were par excellence. It consisted of "Under-tow" of seven reels, featuring Johnny Mack Brown and Mary Nolan, and "The Fighting Coward" (five reels) featuring Ernest Torrence, Mary Astor and Noah Beery, and added to this was shown Grantland Rice's "Sport Almanac."

THE MARGRAF BARN DANCE

The Margraf A. C. held a Barn Dance in the auditorium of St. Ann's Church on Saturday evening, November 25th, with an attendance of about two hundred.

Besides awarding prizes to the persons wearing the best farmer costume, they also awarded prizes in two different games.

The judges were Mrs. Nies, Mr. Crammatt and another lady whose name was not obtained.

The first game was the "Vegetable Potato Race," the winners being Miss Edith Kaercher and Miss Irene Gourdeau, for the ladies; William Epstein and S. Sauer, for the men.

The picking-up-of-corn-stalks race proved to be very amusing, and it was hotly contested. The winners were: Ladies—Miss Edith Kaercher, first; Miss Ethel Koplowitz, second. Gents—William Epstein, first; S. Sauer, second.

The poem "Old Oaken Bucket" was sung on the stage by Messrs. Herbert Carroll, George Lynch and Edward Kerwin, all dressed up in farmer's clothes. Credit is due to Mr. George Lynch for successfully conducting the stage play.

The prizes for the best costumes at the party were awarded to Mrs. Joseph Mazzola, as a country woman, and Miss Lucy Tichenor, as a freckled country girl. George Berenson, as a barefoot boy and George Herbst, a farmer's boy, were also winners, though they had competition for the honor of getting there. All the judges could do was to state that they could only award merited honorable mention, as there were no more prizes to be awarded.

Of course, there was dancing, for at such parties there is music, and there was at this one, and it is too bad movies were not taken at the time when most were whirling around as if in a real contest.

The arrangement committee of the affair deserves great praise for affording a very enjoyable evening. They were Charles Terry, Herbert Carroll, Pierre Blend, George Lynch, Frank Heintz, Nicholas Giordano and Edward Kerwin.

N. A. D.

Readers of the JOURNAL are asked kindly to reserve two coming dates of importance:

Sunday evening, December 10th.—In commemoration of "Gallaudet Day," a "Literary Evening" will be given under auspices of the N. A. D. at the Assembly Hall of the Deaf-Mutes' Union League, 711 Eighth Avenue. A fine supper (see adv.) has been arranged. Please come. Admission is only twenty-five cents.

Friday evening, January 12th.—By popular request, the N. A. D. sponsors a "Winter Frolic" at the Hotel Pennsylvania, Seventh Avenue and 32d Street. Tickets at seventy-five cents each are now on sale, but will be one dollar at the door. (See adv.) May we suggest that you obtain yours now.

A PIGINBEN PARTY

On Saturday evening, November 18th, at the cosy home of the Ben Shafrenaks in Jamaica, L. I., a Piginben Party was held in honor of the couple's baby-boy, who a short time ago, came by way of the stork to brighten their home. Those present at the party were besides the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wincig, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rosenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hitler, Mr. and Mrs. G. Dulgatch, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Jaffe, Sam Nadler, Philip Lieberman, Sam Zadra, Miss Jane Henry and Miss Adelle Rosenblatt.

A fine buffet supper was served, and afterwards there were various parlor games. Many fine presents were conferred on the little infant, who will not be able to acknowledge same till he gets older.

Basketball activities among the schools for the deaf in New York City will be opened on Friday, December 1st, when the Fanwood and Lexington quintets meet at the Fanwood gym. Then on Saturday, the 2d, the Fanwoods will play the Sunsets, a hearing club from Brooklyn, and the Fanwood seconds will play the Falcons, another hearing team from Brooklyn. The preliminary games will start at 2 P.M., and the main attraction will begin at three. Admission to the gym will be only ten cents.

The top-score trophies given at the weekly meeting of Duplicate Bridge players at the Dactyl Club last Thursday were won by the team of Mr. Edgar Bloom, Jr., and Mr. Samuel Block. This pair garnered 43 out of the possible 63 match points, for a splendid average of .683. The teams of Mrs. Al Catuna-Miss Koblenz and Mr. Lew Goldwasser-Mr. Maurice Cohn were tied for second and third places, with thirty-seven one-half match points, and the team of Mr. Harry Stein-Mr. Ralph Lowinson finished a close fourth with thirty-six one-half points. Their victory put the winners in second place in the ranking, with a percentage of .636, as Mrs. Alice Wilson still retains first place with a percentage of .650. By popular vote among the members, the Club will meet every Friday hereafter, instead of Thursday, at the Hotel Beacon. The next session will be held Friday evening, December 1st, at 7:45 sharp.

About forty or more ladies gathered at the cosy home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Peters on Saturday afternoon, November 25th. The occasion was the housewarming of the couple, who had moved to a new up-to-date apartment uptown in Manhattan Borough. In the evening, the men folks came to take them home. It was a very pleasant affair. A fine parlor-lamp and other gifts were presented by those who attended the party. The committee, who engineered the affair deserve credit; they were Mesdames Eber, Fischer and Max Miller.

Sunday, December 3d, will be Rally Day at St. Ann's Church for the Deaf. There will be no morning service. The Holy Communion will be celebrated at 3 P.M., and will be followed by a meeting in the auditorium to discuss parish affairs for 1934. Free refreshments will be served. All friends of the church will be welcome.

Brooklyn Division, No. 23, had a Thanksgiving carnival on Saturday evening, November 18th. The chairman was Nathan Morrell, assistant chairman, Sol E. Pachter, treasurer, George Sherman. The affair was a great success. Approximately 400 people attended. The following won prizes: William Schurman, Isidore Dweck, H. C. Lieberz, J. Mekay, Alfred Scholz, A. Fogel, Mrs. A. McLaren, S. Goldstein, Mrs. J. J. O'Brien and James H. Manning.

The Sunset M. E. Church Five, champion of the Sunday School Basketball League and conqueror of the picked Wisconsin and Illinois champions last year, are scheduled to play the Fanwood Varsity on the latter's court on December 2d, Saturday afternoon, at three o'clock. Admission, ten cents.

The Newark H. A. D. played host to a party of about fifteen H. A. D. members of New York City on Sunday afternoon and evening, November 26th, when a social and buffet supper was tendered in their honor. Two of the hearing directors, Mrs. Litter and Mrs. Asen, were present.

LUTHERAN GUILD NOTES

The members of St. Matthew's Lutheran Guild gathered at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Brooks, who prepared a buncó party on Saturday evening, October 21st, for the benefit of our twentieth anniversary banquet held on Saturday evening, November 25th, at Immanuel Lutheran Church, South Ninth Street, Brooklyn, of which Mr. Clarence Peterson was the chairman.

The following names of the prize winners were Mrs. Edna Von Pollnitz, Mrs. Agnes Breden, Mrs. R. Grutzmacher, Mrs. Jennie Peterson, Mrs. C. Ulmer Mrs. William Morrison, Miss Tillie Newman, Mr. R. Grutzmacher, Mr. L. Brooks, Mr. E. Berg, Mr. C. Peterson, Mr. Becker.

Cups of coffee and assorted cakes were served on the table by Mrs. Carrie Brooks, the president of St. Matthew's Lutheran Guild.

Miss Tillie Newman, who graduated from Fanwood School in 1932, was chairlady of a Halloween party under the auspices of St. Matthew's Lutheran Guild for the Deaf, held at St. Paul's Parish House, on Palmetto Street and Knickerbocker Avenue, on Saturday evening November 4th. It was an enjoyable affair and successful. Different games were provided by her committee, and prizes were given to the winners.

A beautiful door prize, which is an electric clock with a lamp shade on top of it, was won by Mrs. William Morrison, of Woodside, L. I.

A big surprise party given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George Fauchauer, sister of Mr. Conrad Ulmer, the Lutheran corresponding secretary, in honor of their mother's birthday, caused his absence from the Halloween party.

Mrs. Conrad Ulmer was invited to attend a performance at Roxy Theatre on November 11th, Armistice Day, by Miss Margaret Grossman, and afterwards to her home for supper. Her husband worked all day, and went to Miss Grossman's house to dine together. At half past seven, they left for St. Matthew's Lutheran Guild's meeting in Brooklyn. Called home at half past nine, Mr. and Mrs. Ulmer were greatly surprised and delighted to see a crowd of friends there to honor their tenth wedding anniversary, which was arranged by Mrs. Lucy Peterson, Mrs. Conrad Ulmer's mother, and Miss Tillie Newman.

Two large tables were placed in the parlor and dining room with refreshments among which was a wedding cake, on which was inscribed "Congratulations to Clara and Conrad on this tenth anniversary, from Mother and Tillie."

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. V. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kaman, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Droste, Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmar Borgstrand, the best man, Mr. and Mrs. William Morrison, Misses Anna Kugler, Alberta Costello, Helen Gregory, Tillie Newman, Margaret Grossman, Messrs. Eddie Lambertson, Herbert Carroll, Eddie Kerwin and Albert Boyajian.

Many beautiful gifts were showered, including an electric clock for the kitchen, electric mixer, electric waffle and ash tray stand with electric light.

K. L. D.

The Knights and Ladies of De'Epee have organized three basketball teams this year—Senior and Junior for men and one for girls.

The Senior team is composed of players, mostly from the "Oaks" team, well-known in New York State, and who had faced several strong teams lately.

There will be two basketball games under its auspices on Sunday evening, December 3d, at St. Francis Xavier gymnasium, 45 West Fifteenth Street.

The feature game will be between the De'Epee Knights Big Five and Deaf-Mutes' Union League Five. A beautiful trophy will be awarded to the winner. The De'Epee Juniors will meet the Margraf Juniors in a preliminary game, which will start at 8:15 P.M.

The De'Epee Knights Big Five would like to hear from Ephpheta Society, Brownsville and any deaf team that has unlimited weight. Apply to Mr. James F. McGuines, chairman and manager.

The girls formed a basketball team a few weeks ago, and are called the De'Epee Lassies. They will open the season with the Franklin Lassies on December 6th, at the latter's court.

The Knights and the Lassies play on the Stuyvesant High School court every Saturday afternoon.

H. A. D.

After weeks of striving, the H. A. D. Motion Picture Committee announces with pleasure that it has been able to secure the eleven-reel feature, "The Godless Girl." This superb picture, including among its cast, Noah Beery, Marie Prevost, etc., will positively be screened at the H. A. D. Auditorium 210 West 91st Street, this Sunday evening, December 3d. It is hoped that our members and friends will come early, not only to secure seats, but to make it possible to start this eleven-reel feature promptly at 8 o'clock.

Rev. and Mrs. Guilbert C. Brad-dock announce the birth of a daughter on Wednesday, November 22d, at Women's Hospital, New York City. Mother and child are progressing well.

GALLAUDET COLLEGE

By Felix Kowalewski

Wednesday afternoon, November 22d, the annual tug-of-war was held between the Freshman and Preparatory boys, the latter winning in two attempts. The Freshmen were dragged for a loss and completely soused with a stream of ice-cold water turned upon them by Fire-Chief George Brown, '34. However, the Frosh got even by staging a free-for-all after the tugging was over, and groups of them would pounce upon some luckless "Rat," and give him a thorough bath under the hose after dragging him through a welter of mud. The Frosh retaliated in the same way, and a good time was had by all.

The same evening, the three upper classes formed a theatre party under the chaperonage of Mr. Doctor. They saw the play "Romeo and Juliet" at the National Theatre.

Not to be outdone by the Prep boys' funeral for old man Prohibition last week, the Prep girls captured a mouse, that was very much dead.

Then on Thursday morning, the smug young things held a funeral for the wee beastie. Miss Hazel Davis was officiating minister, with Verna Thompson, lugging a Funk & Wagnall's Bible. Vivian Burditt, Virginia Stacks, Dorothy Nichols, and Katherine Kelly were the pallbearers, with Marie John and Lena Parrott as the long and short of the weeping widows.

Bertha Marshall was gravedigger and then rendered a hymn "Our sugar-daddies, Rats to thee" and elaborated on eternal triumph for the "Rats" and perdition for their enemies, the Frosh.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Craig at 9:45 A.M., Tuesday, November 21st, at Columbia Hospital. The baby weighed eight three-fourths pounds at birth, and is to be named William after Mr. Craig's father. The College girls presented Mrs. Craig with a chest of drawers for the nursery, and the boys cheered her up with a bouquet of flowers.

A schedule of Intramural sports has been arranged between the colleges in the District and vicinity. The following touch-football schedule has been arranged:

Upper Bracket
Dec. 3.—St. John's vs. Baltimore at St. John's.
Dec. 5.—American U. vs. Gallaudet at Gallaudet.
Dec. 6.—Baltimore U. vs. Gallaudet at Gallaudet.
Dec. 6.—St. John's vs. American U. at A. U.

Lower Bracket
Dec. 5.—Maryland vs. Catholic University at C. U.
Dec. 6.—Catholic U. vs. Georgetown at Georgetown.
Dec. 7.—Georgetown vs. Maryland at College Park.

Dec. 12.—Playoff between winners of the upper bracket and those of the lower bracket at College Park, Md.

The purpose of the tournament is to promote friendship and interest in sportsmanship between the colleges. Other games will be arranged by weight classes in basketball, volleyball, wrestling, and indoor baseball. Mr. Hughes is working with Tommy Ulmer, '34, to build up a fast team for the touch-football games.

Friday evening, the Dutch Treat Club had a theatre party and went to Pierce Hall, in the Northwest section, where they saw some interesting German films. A card party and social was held in Chapel Hall for the stay-at-homes.

Saturday, November 25th, a N. R. A. party was given in Chapel Hall from 7:30 to 10 P.M. There were games and dancing and prizes, with refreshments of punch and crackers. A large bulletin was set up in one corner of the room, on which the students were invited to write down suggestions for a N. R. A. code for the College. Miss Lucy Buchanan, '34, and Robert Greenman, '36, won prizes for the funniest suggestions, with "Co-eds should be supplied with insect powder to kill the ants in Fowler Hall," by Miss Buchanan, and Mr. Greenman's "Shorter prayers on Sunday." Our six foot three inch cowboy from Utah, Joseph Burnett, won honorable mention with his "Bigger and bigger and bigger co-eds." Miss Bertha Marshall, P. C., was on the program in a toedance, and surprised everyone by her ability in the Terpsichorean art.

The Freshman girls' typewriting class is now having speed tests. Preparations are being made for a contest to be held in the near future to decide the champion typist of Fowler Hall.

Thanksgiving vacation will begin Wednesday afternoon, the 29th. The O. W. L. S. literary society will present a Public Program in Chapel Hall on that evening.

Thanksgiving Day services will be held in Chapel Hall at 9 A.M., and will be followed by the traditional Molly-coddle football game between the upper and lower classes. The odds this year are quite even for the two teams, and there will be plenty of excitement for the student spectators. A mixed supper and social is scheduled for that evening.

Basketball practice started last week, with some thirty candidates, and the entire regular team back again. Thirteen games have been scheduled so far, our first to be played here on December 15th, against Maryland State Normal College.

Syracuse, N. Y.

November 18th, the Frats at Utica celebrated the twentieth anniversary of their organization by having a banquet in one of the best hotels. Over a hundred Frats, with their wives and sweethearts, sat down to the sumptuous repast. A wedding was not down on the program, but just before the banquet started, one of the Frat members, Edward Herlan, of Oneida, and Miss Orissa Richardson, of Utica, (who by the way, had for years kept their friends guessing), hid themselves to Grace Episcopal Church and were united in marriage by the Rev. H. C. Merrill, then went to the banquet to spring a surprise on their friends.

Mr. Herlan is employed in a furniture factory in Oneida and has a home of his own there, left him by his mother, who recently died. Mrs. Herlan has been employed in Utica. Both are products of the Rome School, and we join their many friends in felicitating the happy couple.

November 19, the Syracuse Silent Bowling team and many from Utica, went to Ilion to compete with that team at a bowling game. After the game, while starting to enter his car, Dennis Costello of Rome slipped on the icy street and had his right arm and shoulder badly wrenched. He was taken by friends to Rome and a physician summoned.

Mr. Costello, who is the efficient chief at the Rome School, will be laid up for some time. His place will be taken by the assistant cook, Edward Larkin, until Mr. Costello recovers.

The Ladies Guild of Syracuse held an Irish Supper at the Parish House on November 22nd and took in a heat sum for Church Fund. This will help considerable toward bringing cheer and comfort to some of the needy families among the deaf.

Mrs. George Root, assisted by an able corps of assistants, engineered the affair. Cards followed supper.

On November 24th Mrs. Wasse entertained a few couples at cards at her home in Newell Street.

The Root family will have their annual Thanksgiving reunion on November 30th. Rev. Robert Root of Webster is expected and will spend a few days with his parents and fiancée in Syracuse.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn MacRae of Buffalo will not be able to come, as they have only one day off from business. But they will be able to join the family circle at Christmas time.

George C. Root of Syracuse recently received a letter from Clarke Griffith, the famous baseball player, who had just finished in the World Series. The two were old friends in the days of "Auld Lang Syne" when both resided in Bloomington, Illinois. They have not met for 45 years.

The deaf children of the Brown, Maxson and Ackerman families will come to their homes in Syracuse to remain over Thanksgiving holidays.

PITTI-SING

Hartford, Ct.

A Hot Dog Roast was held by the members of the Connecticut Chapel of G. C. C. A., in the Log Cabin, farthest in the rear of the A. S. D. School. It took place on October 13th. It was intended to hold it out of doors, but due to the chilly weather, the big fireplace was very much appreciated. The group then enjoyed an appetizing picnic consisting of frankfurters, coffee, cider, doughnuts, and cake. After their appetites were satiated, they remained for a while, entertaining themselves with the yarus of their college days. Before it was too dark for them to wend their way across the field, they agreed that they had had a great time.

Under the auspices of the Hartford Division, No. 37, N. F. S. D., a dance and entertainment were given, October 28th, at the Agora Hall on Ann Street. About 150 people attended. It was noted that many of them came a long from Maine, New York and Massachusetts, for the purpose of meeting their old acquaintances. They deserved some credit for helping make the affair a social success.

The Silent Guild of Christ Church held a Halloween Party in the basement of the Parish on October 30th, with 45 present. The Rev. Mr. Light was in attendance after quite a long absence. The affair was a masquerade; nevertheless, only a few wore costumes. The prizes were given for the most original, the prettiest, and the funniest costumes, to Mrs. Harry Fancher of New Britain, Conn., Miss Susan Sellock of this city, and Mrs. Chester Brown of Albany, N. Y., respectively. Games were indulged in and then dancing.

Public Bridge, under the auspices of the Connecticut Chapter of the G. C. C. A., was held in the A. S. D. auditorium, Wednesday afternoon, November 15th, for the purpose of raising money for the Sophia Gallaudet Scholarship Fund. About ten tables were engaged in playing; however, it has just been reported that a very good profit was made through complimentary contributions.

E. S.

Canadian News

News items for this column, and subscriptions, may be sent to Herbert W. Roberts, 178 Armadale Ave., Toronto, Ont.

TORONTO TIDINGS

Miss Mary Parker has come up to this city to take a few months' apprenticeship course in ladies hair-dressing. She is the deaf sister of the two deaf Parker brothers of Baltimore, near Cobourg, Ont.

Mrs. A. C. Shepherd is out and around again after suffering from a severe cold for a week. Quite a number of our deaf friends have been ailing from colds of late.

The Rev. Georg Almo was the speaker at our Remembrance Day service on November 12th and gave a very nice sermon, flavored with caution and advice to all.

A surprise birthday party was tendered Mrs. George Brethour, at her home on Ferris Avenue, on November 17th, by a number of her friends who presented her with a purse of money in commemoration of her natal day. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by all in spite of a stormy evening.

Miss Edith Squires left for her home in Petrolia on November 16th, after enjoying a week with friends in this city and another week with her former schoolmate and friend, Miss Alma Brown, in Markdale.

Our Young Peoples Society held an open meeting on November 13th, at which Mr. J. T. Shilton entertained a full turnout of the members and a sprinkling of visitors to a fine lecture on the "Gold Bug." A ten-cents collection was taken up.

We are glad to say that at this writing, Mr. Sidney Walker, who underwent an operation lately, is steadily making good progress towards recovery at his home on Lascelles Boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. David Lemory, of Phelpsston, were down in this city on November 12th, and took in our service that afternoon.

The pet collie dog belonging to Anival Shepherd, Jr., was recently struck and run over by an automobile and very seriously injured, but is being tenderly cared for and is making good progress towards recovery.

A few from this city left for Hamilton on November 18th, on the cheap excursion to attend the Waggoner party that evening. A more graphic account will appear in your next issue.

The "Frats" staged a movie show in the Bridgen-Nasmith hall of our Church on November 18th, and a fair crowd was on hand. The pictures depicted scenes of the Frats' picnic at Streetsville last August.

At this writing, Mrs. R. M. Thomas, of Oakville, is visiting with relatives and friends in this city.

Mr. John T. Shilton was the speaker at our service on November 19th, and gave a fine sermon on "A Thankful Heart" and was well received by the congregation.

SUDDENLY BEREAVED

That death stalks everywhere was well exemplified on November 14th, when the beloved father of our good friends, the Misses Laura and Catherine Tudhope, of Orillia, succumbed to the aftereffects of a serious operation. His death was brought about in the following manner. While up hunting at the Red Tam Hunt Club on the shores of Nonogash Lake, he was seized with a severe pain and was rushed by aeroplane to Orillia Hospital and immediately operated upon, but it was too late to save his life, blood-poison having set in from the broken appendix. The funeral took place from his late home at 80 Newnash St., to the Orillia Hospital, and was very largely attended. To his two deaf daughters and other relatives we extend our most sincere condolence.

FORT QU'APPELLE FACTS

From all quarters up this way comes the news that the JOURNAL is greatly appreciated with its interesting Canadian News, chronicling the happenings among our deaf friends the country over.

Mr. Noah Labelle reports his business in the harness repairing line as quite normal and this in the face of the widespread depression. Many have abandoned their once lucrative business when the pinch of the present hard times got a hold on them, but our valiant Noah, like the Noah of old, gallantly faced the situation.

Mrs. Samuel Hawkins, of Lipton, who has been for a while in the Regina Hospital, has now returned home and we are delighted to say that she is progressing most satisfactorily.

The Labelles were favored with many deaf visitors this past summer, in fact, more than in former years. They did not seem to be vexed by "Father Depression" at all, but on the other hand, seemed to be unmindful of him.

Many former deaf residents of Lipton and vicinity will regret to hear of the death of their friend, Mrs. Louisa Bradshaw, daughter of the late Samuel Van Luven, and niece of Mr. Thomas Bradshaw of Seattle, Washington, who farmed in this vicinity many years ago. The deceased, who had been bedridden for some years past, died last August, and leaves a sorrowing husband and six children. Though not deaf she was thoroughly conversant in

the sign-language, which she thought was of great advantage.

ST. THOMAS SPLASHES

On October 26th, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Beckett, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Paul, and George R. Munroe, motored up to London, to attend the surprise party, tendered to Miss Sophie Fishbein, at her parental home, on Ottawa Street. A goodly number were on hand, and presents lavishly bestowed upon this fair debutante, all of which were useful.

Games were played until late and an abundant repast was served, which was more than satisfying to those present, and it was after midnight when the guests started to depart for Slumberland.

Miss Ada James took Miss Fishbein out for a walk beforehand, with the latter having no inkling of what was coming off, though arrangements had been going on for well nigh a month.

The guests, in the meantime, had assembled in the parlor, and upon the return of the two ladies, the lights were suddenly switched on, and now you have a picture of the surprise and music our bewildered Sophie had to face.

The parents' gift was a very beautiful fur lined coat, that fitted perfectly and Sophia, (or "Sonja") to her intimate friends) strutted around the room in her newly acquired coat, the proudest gal in all "Lunnun," amid admiring glances.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Cowan, and daughter, Margaret, were on hand too, and their presence is always welcomed everywhere, for good old "Sandy" usually stirs up the elements of concord and good will.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pincombe were the first to show up. No doubt, our retired farmer is evidently trying to make up for the many years spent on the farm and his surprising agility astounds us.

Mr. Eddie Fishbein made the arrangements in the first place for this party and Mrs. Edward Fishbein tended to the coffee kettle and served excellent coffee during the luncheon.

From London came Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Cowan and daughter, Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pincombe, Messrs. Herbert Wilson, Earl Hilton and Russell Marshall, Mesdames W. H. Gould, Jr., Eddie Fishbein, E. Jolly and John F. Fisher and Miss Sophie Fishbein.

This get-up was under the auspices of the London and St. Thomas mission and was pronounced a grand success. Miss James received two addresses in all, the first one upon entering the Y. W. C. A. and the other later in the evening at the table, just before we started to bolt the eats.

A couple of chairs were unavoidably damaged during the reeling off of the games, but our "Jack of all trades," Samuel Beckett, repaired them, the next day and put them in better condition than when they were new.

George Bell, ably handled the arrangements for this big surprise, and Mrs. Bell, with the assistance of our buxom ladies, looked after the feed bag, besides manipulating the coffee urn.

Edward Paul put his thinking machinery into action and pulled off the games without a hitch, for which he got much praise.

Miss James had hardly arrived back from Toronto, where she had spent the two previous days than she was dragged into this surprise trap and given the "aches."

GENERAL GLEANINGS

Miss Clara M. Hartley of Milton, who had been quite ill for a week recently, has now fully recovered, we are glad to say. She is one of the hundreds of Canadians who is devotedly interested in the JOURNAL.

Mr. Edward A. Leslie is at present busily engaged in carpentry work at Aylsham, Sask., and is another of the many deaf in the west who are so interested in the JOURNAL, having just joined the increasing number of subscribers.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Middleton and the former's aged mother

PENNSYLVANIA

On Saturday, November 11th, the Mt. Airy football team played the Bethlehem High School team on the latter's grounds. They were defeated to the tune of 7 to 27. But the game was well played, and drew a large crowd of the deaf from Allentown, Easton, Philadelphia, Reading, and other nearby points. In the evening a large number of those who had attended the game went to the social held in the rooms of the Allentown Silent Club. Among other attractions there, a drawing for a prize was held.

Another attraction on the same night was the Halloween party staged by Reading Division, No. 54, N. F. S. D., in the Frat Hall at Fifth and Court Streets Reading. Some seventy-five attended this party, and fully half that number came in costume. Visitors from Harrisburg, York, Lancaster, Pottsville, Allentown, and Philadelphia, were noted; and a most enjoyable time was the result. Prizes were awarded for the best costumes, as follows: for the best costumed lady, Mrs. Hungerford; for the best man, Mr. Milford D. Liden; for the best child, Dolores Hoshauer. Mr. Robert Yiengst was chairman in charge of the party.

Now the Reading Frats are promising another good time to all, who will attend the Christmas Social to be held on December 9th. Wonderful to relate, the admission will be free!

Mr. and Mrs. William Raatz entertained at dinner on Sunday, November 12th. Among those present were the Misses Theresa Schoenenberger and Annie Sterner, Mrs. Annie Faust, Mr. and Mrs. Jack London, and Messrs. William S. Ball and Warren M. Smaltz.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Smith, of Shenandoah, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Ritchie, of Mohnton, on November 12th. Mr. Smith is still in business as an acetylene welder and general machinist, and his shop is one of the best equipped in Shenandoah.

The Rev. Franklin C. Smielau, of Montoursville, has closed up his home temporarily, and has gone to St. Petersburg, Fla. If he finds the southern climate agreeable, he may remain down there during the winter. Although his health is considerably improved, he is compelled to be most careful.

Mrs. Roger Williams, of Reading, who suffered a hemorrhage of the brain about five months ago, is steadily improving. Originally her entire left side had been paralyzed. Now she is able to sit up daily, and walk around a bit. With the determination she shows, she will undoubtedly recover fully in due time. Numerous friends are congratulating her upon her remarkable improvement.

Miss Theresa Schoenenberger, of Ashland, has recently returned home from a six weeks visit in Chicago. While there, she stayed with various relatives. She was much impressed with the Century of Progress Exposition, and spoke also of having enjoyed her visits to All Angels' Church of the Deaf.

Mrs. John S. Trough, who recently suffered the loss by death of her husband, is now residing with her son in Pottsville.

Mr. Sydney Goldberg, who had been for a long time in business for himself in Reading as a tailor, cleaner and dyer, has recently given up his business. The depression is responsible. He is now employed by another firm, at his old trade.

Mr. H. Ray Snyder, of Nazareth, has been in business for himself as a carpenter and furniture maker for quite some time. He is doing well, and states that business is gradually improving.

Pennsylvania is a sportsman's paradise. Each year many thousands of hunters roam her fields and woodlands in search of varied game. Among the deaf sportsmen who have been known to bag their limit of rabbits, pheasants, squirrels, and quail, might be mentioned J. L. McManima, of Beaver Falls, George Burns and Hiram R. Bookamer, of Ellwood City, Paul Albert, of Myerstown, and the Rev. Warren M. Smaltz, of Lebanon. Mr. Smaltz reported that on the opening day he shot five rabbits, a pheasant, four rail birds, two squirrels, two black crows and one stray cat!

Incidentally Mr. McManima is even now planning for the opening day of the deer hunting season, December 1st. He will hunt in Clearfield County. And Mr. Smaltz will also be one of a party of fifteen who have secured permits to hunt deer in the George W. Childs Game Preserve, north of Stroudsburg. Venison will soon be in the pan.

Mrs. Christian Snyder, of Reading, who some time ago had been a patient in a local hospital, has improved considerably in her general health. A host of friends wish her well.

The engagement of Miss Freda Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Williams, of Reading, to Mr. J. L. Himmelberger, has been announced.

Still another engagement is that of Mrs. Sensenig, of Lancaster, to Mr. Richard LeVan, of Elmira, N. Y. Mr. LeVan formerly resided in Pottsville.

Mr. Ewin C. Ritchie, the well known president of the P. S. A. D.

and secretary of the Reading Frats, is once more working nearly full time as a linotype operator, after a long season of unemployment.

The Donation Day Campaign for the Home for Aged and Infirm Deaf is being actively pushed all over the state, under the energetic leadership of Mr. Bernard Teitelbaum, of Pittsburgh. In spite of the prevailing depression, the deaf are trying hard to make the campaign a success. From Bellefonte comes the good news that Mr. Burns Cridet raised sixty-six dollars in that community. Reading will probably top it with a contribution of seventy-five dollars or better. Other localities are to be heard from in due time.

The failure of the firm, which employed them, has resulted in putting Messrs. John M. Kershner, of Robersonia, and Harry H. Weaver, of Reading, out of work. We are hoping they will soon find new jobs.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Eby have moved to Lebanon from their former home at Gap, near Lancaster.

Miss Anna Shuba, of McAdoo, near Hazleton, has moved to Philadelphia, where she found employment in one of the mills.

Pennsylvania weather went on a rampage during November. Two feet of snow fell in the vicinity of Meadville, and the greater part of the state was under a white blanket. Temperatures dropped to an unheard low, that made the fall of the stock market in 1929 seem silly by comparison. Williamsport registered 8 degrees above zero. Franklin beat it with 5 degrees. And Erie won over all contestants with 3 degrees. Snow-plows plied over the western highways, and drifts of as much as six feet were common. Altoona groped in dense fog much of the time. And at Johnstown the sun was totally obscured by a dense bronze-colored haze that made some of the more nervous ones believe the end of all things was nigh. Goose-bone prophets are now predicting a severe winter!

The tenth anniversary of the Rev. Canon Hiram R. Bennett as rector of Christ Church, Williamsport, was on All Saint's Day, Nov. 1st. All the deaf were invited to the special services and reception given in honor of the occasion, and a large number turned out. Bishop Wyatt Brown of the Diocese of Harrisburg was present. Speaking of his pastorate, Canon Bennett remarked that he has been at Christ Church longer than any of his predecessors, with one exception: the Rev. Franklin C. Smielau had served the silent congregation of that parish for twenty-nine years!

Here's a little story about the vagaries of Lady Luck. Mr. Warren Jones, of Meadville, was persuaded to invest ten cents in a ticket eligible for winning a number of prizes in a drawing for the benefit of the F. O. E. On Sept. 30 last, the drawing came off, and he won a handsome 11-tube Majestic radio. Since he is totally deaf, we can't quite figure out just how lucky he was.

A combination Halloween and Birthday party was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hogenmiller, of Emlenton, near Franklin, on October 28th. The party was really in honor of Mr. Claude Colegrove of Franklin, born October 20th, and Mrs. Colegrove, born October 30th. In addition to those above named, there were present Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Shoup and their daughters Beatrice and Mildred, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Mathers of Ridgway and son Billy, Mesdames Florence Blackhall and Leone Schoch, Misses Orel Davis, Magdalen Dugan and Alice Consider, Messrs. John Johnson and Basil Canon, and Master Bob and Miss Paige Colegrove.

Another birthday party, in honor of Miss Orel Davis of Oil City, and Mr. Basil Canon of Stoneboro, was given at the latter's farm on the evening of Armistice Day. Since the farm had to be reached by way of two miles of dirt road covered with sixteen inches of snow, those attending the party had a strenuous time getting there. Messrs. Theodore Arens and John Kovalski of Erie started for the party in the former's auto. They had gotten as far as Union City when their car became stuck in a three-foot snowdrift. They reached the party eventually, which included also Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Shoup, Mesdames Bessie Postlethwaite of Sandy Lake, and Leone Schoch, Misses Magdalen Dugan and Alice Consider of Meadville, and Messrs. Glenn Amos, Harold Aylesworth, and John Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shoup, Mrs. Leone Schoch, and Miss Helen Williams of Butler, motored to Canton, Ohio, on October 21, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Durian.

Last summer Mrs. George M. Pounesmith of Williamsport was operated upon for cataract of both eyes. For a long time she had been practically blind, which coupled with her deafness made her misfortune a heavy one indeed. Friends are now congratulating her upon the complete restoration of her sight. With the help of glasses she is now busily writing letters to her friends and getting in touch with events once more.

Mrs. Merritt E. Postlethwaite of Punxsutawney is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Buterbaugh of Al-

toona, and will remain for some time to come.

Among those who are on the sick list should be mentioned Mrs. C. R. Saylor of Altoona; and Mrs. Felix Hogenmiller and Mary Gittens of Greensburg.

For the benefit of those who are wondering what has become of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bulger, it should be said that they now reside at Beaver Falls. Mr. Bulger worked for 26 years with the American Bridge Company as layout man. He has laid out the work for some of the largest bridges in this country. But when the company shut down its plant in Canton, O., Mr. Bulger found himself without employment, and so moved to his present location.

We believe Pennsylvania can boast of more competent deaf nimrods than any other state. The total bag of rabbits which George Burns of Ellwood City has shot to date is fourteen. And he is just getting into his stride. Then there are Hiram Bookamer and Lewis Nickum of the same town. J. L. McManima and R. L. Gorsuch of Beaver Falls, Charles MacArthur and Harry Shonaker of Johnstown, to mention only a few.

And at Franklin resides Alex Shoup. The father of Alex bequeathed to him a Winchester pump-gun of hoary vintage. Somehow Alex could not get the rabbits, and decided that the fault was the gun's, not his. So he set about to improve the gun by sawing six inches off the muzzle. Total casualties to date are one adolescent, flea-bitten bunny. Alex is now considering the idea of soldering a funnel to the gun's abbreviated muzzle. "Go ahead and kid me," says Alex, "I'll get some rabbits with that gun yet, or bust—the gun!"

Mrs. Albert M. Price, of Canton, Ohio, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Green, of Erie, for two weeks in November. Mr. Price also visited the Greens over the week-end of November 18th.

What narrowly missed ending in a tragedy occurred on November 15th, when Mrs. Lewis R. Nickum, of Ellwood City accidentally got her dress on fire from a gas heater. She was unaware that she was on fire until her daughter, Betty, gave the alarm. Her son, Lewis, promptly extinguished the flames by wrapping a floor rug around her. Though she was burned, her injuries were slight.

On Saturday, November 18th, the Johnstown Silent Club held a banquet in honor of the fourth anniversary of the club. This was the first such occasion, and twenty-eight were in attendance. Merry games followed, and the affair was a financial success. Mrs. Charles MacArthur was in charge, assisted by Miss Edith Jensen, and Mesdames Roland Barker, Grand Laird, William Seibert and Anna Clark.

The same club staged a Halloween Party on October 28th, that drew fifty people. Nearly all were in costume, and prizes were awarded for those judged best. First prize for women went to Mrs. Charles MacArthur, and first prize for men to Mr. MacArthur. The first prize for the most funny costume was drawn by Mrs. Todd Clark, and the second prize by Mr. Kersten, of Altoona.

The deaf of Johnstown are enterprising. Their present plans call for a motion picture entertainment in the near future, under the management of Mr. Roland M. Barker. Mr. Barker's cousin, Dr. Elin Barker, M. D., is a globe trotter as well as an eye, ear, nose, and throat specialist. In the course of his travels he had taken thousands of feet of motion pictures. He has consented to exhibit some of his pictures taken in Alaska, India, Africa, and South America, for the benefit of the Silent Missions. Full particulars will be given in due time.

Mr. Joshua Wilkinson has resigned as a linotype operator for the Johnstown Democrat, and has taken a similar position with the Tribune of the same city. Mr. John E. Hasson also works for that newspaper.

Mr. and Mrs. James Buterbaugh, of Altoona, have returned home after a two weeks visit to Chicago to see the World's Fair. Mr. Carl M. Bohner also visited the Fair. He is again working with the Pennsylvania Railroad as a metallurgist, after having been laid off for about a year.

Mrs. Margaret Blair has returned to her home in Altoona after an absence of over two months in Providence, R. I., where she visited her daughter.

Word has come that Katie Heim, the hearing sister of Miss Dora Heim, of Kane, passed away suddenly. Death was due to a heart attack. The burial services occurred at Kane on November 13th. Miss Heim is known throughout the state for her public-spirited interest in the P. S. A. D. and all other worthy causes. A host of friends sympathize with her in her bereavement.

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Buffalo N. Y.

The lip-reading class held a social and card party recently at the Deco Parlors. There was a good crowd, and many useful and pretty prizes. Mr. Mann, who is an artist, entertained the guests by his comic charcoal sketches. The chairman of the affair was Mr. John Harris, assisted by Mrs. Harris, Gladys Grover and Miss Ruth, who is the teacher of the class. The class meets three times a week at the night school and anyone who is interested is urged to attend.

Mr. Wm. Lockwood, of Perry, N. Y., was the recent guest of his aunt on Abbott Road, and while here called on his old friends and schoolmates, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ode, of Pine Hill. Friends of Mr. John M. Burnmeister, who is a resident of Gallaudet Home, Wappinger's Falls, N. Y., were greatly surprised and pleased to see him while he was a guest of his nephew near Ebenezer, N. Y. He also visited his sister in Olean, N. Y. His return trip to the home was made by the Greyhound bus to New York City and a boat trip to Poughkeepsie. He had a most delightful time.

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